



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. S 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 1617  
PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re National Stage of International	)
Application No. PCT/FR00/01257 of:	)
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<b>Sandrine DECOSTER et al.</b>	)
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Application No.: 10/018,769	)
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National Stage Entry: December 21, 2001	)
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For: COMPOSITION CONTAINING AN	)
OPACIFIER OR PEARLESCENT	)
AGENT AND AT LEAST TWO	)
FATTY ALCOHOLS	)
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**Sir:**

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In reply to the Final Office Action dated April 21, 2004, the period for response having been extended to October 21, 2004, by a request for Extension of Time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.